

Table 2

Comparison of Three-Year Uncompensated Wage Loss as a Percentage of Counterfactual Earnings, Average Final DEU Ratings under the 1997 and 2005 PDRS (for injuries rated within 42 months of date of injury), and the Future Earnings Capacity (FEC) Modifier					
Part of Body	Uncompensated Wage Loss as a % of Counterfactual Earnings	Average Final Rating under 1997 PDRS	Average Final Rating under 2005 PDRS	Percentage Change between 1997 and 2005 PDRS	Current FEC in 2005 PDRS
SPINE	17.8%	30.1	19.5	-35.2%	5
KNEE	-3.1%	21.9	12.8	-41.6%	2
UPPER EXTREMITY	17.2%	25.2	14.0	-44.4%	5
SHOULDER	7.7%	14.7	11.5	-21.8%	7
GRIP STRENGTH	7.1%	15.2	14.4	-5.3%	4
WRIST	8.0%	20.8	11.1	-46.6%	4
HAND	10.2%	13.0	8.7	-33.1%	1
ANKLE	4.4%	21.5	9.4	-56.3%	2
ELBOW	3.1%	14.2	8.6	-39.4%	2
LOWER EXTREMITY	15.2%	27.7	15.0	-45.8%	5
PSYCHIATRIC	37.0%	34.2	37.8	10.5%	8
OTHER:	10.6%	21.1	22.2	5.2%	
Hearing	---	12.1	12.3	1.7%	8
Eyes	---	16.0	15.8	-1.3%	1
Hip	---	28.0	19.9	-28.9%	5
Heart	---	41.4	35.9	-13.3%	5
Toe(s)	---	14.3	---	---	5
Respiratory	---	21.3	39.0	83.1%	7
PT Head	---	26.1	---	---	6
Soft Tissue	---	27.6	21.9	-20.7%	6
Other	---	21.4	20.5	-4.2%	2
TOTAL, excluding multiple	11.6%	23.7	16.7	-29.5%	
Multiple	29.6%	39.8	28.4	-28.6%	
TOTAL	16.5%	28.1	19.9	-29.2%	
Number of observations	28,456	28,456	3,311	<i>Weighted average</i>	